GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CIVIL AVIATION
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AVIATION SAFETY
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Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether the International Civil Aviation Organisation(ICAO) has stressed the need for India to take upsteps in establishment of International Financial Facility for aviation safety;

(b) if so, the reaction of the Government thereto;

(c) whether the funds required to improve the safety related deficiencies at airports have been assessed;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) the steps taken to mobilise sources for generating the proposed funds?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI SHARAD YADAV)

(a), (b), (c), (d) and (e) : The Secretary General of International Civil Aviation Organisation(ICAO) during his visit to India in March 2001 raised the issue of establishment of International Financial Facility for Aviation Safety seeking India`s support for the same. The matter is however at nascent stage and would require deliberation between the member States of ICAO before a decision could be taken.